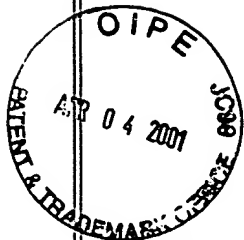


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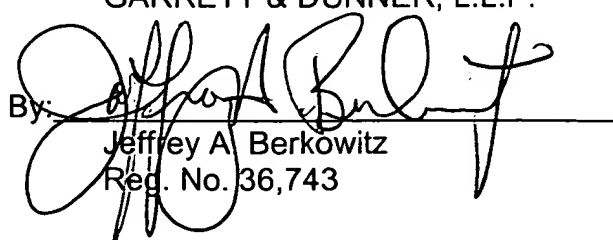
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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.84 and in response to the Notice To File Corrected Application Papers, Applicants submit formal drawings. Please replace the informal drawings with the formal drawings filed herewith. If the formal drawings for any reason are not in full compliance with pertinent statutes and regulations, please so advise the undersigned.

If any fees are necessary for the submission of these formal drawings, please charge our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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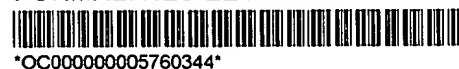
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- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
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